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Scimed Life Systems, Inc., assignee of the entire right title and interest in the above-identified application by assignment, submitted herewith, hereby appoints the following attorneys and/or agents of the firm of Fulbright & Jaworski L.L.P.:

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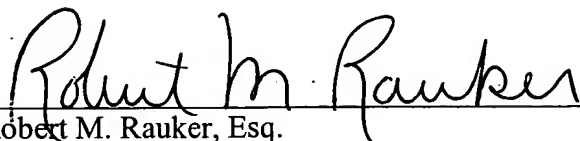
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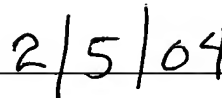
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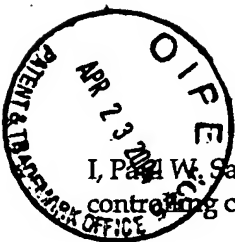
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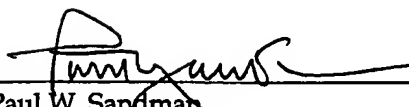


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